9. PLAN TOOLS

9.1 Acronyms

DEMA Arizona Department of Emergency and Military Affairs

ADEM Arizona Division of Emergency Management (a division of DEMA)

ADEQ Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

ADWR Arizona Department of Water Resources

AGFD Arizona Game and Fish Department

ARS Arizona Revised Statutes

ASCE American Society of Civil Engineers

ASERC Arizona State Emergency Response Commission

ASLD Arizona State Land Department

ASU Arizona State University

AZDEQ Arizona Department of Environmental Quality

AZGS Arizona Geological Survey

BLM Bureau of Land Management

CAP Central Arizona Project

CAP Community Assistance Program
CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CRS Community Rating System

CWPP Community Wildfire Protection Plan

DFIRM Digital Flood Insurance Rate
DMA 2000 Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000

DOT Department of Transportation

EHS Extremely Hazardous Substance
EPA Environmental Protection Agency

EPCRA Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act

FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency

GIS Geographic Information System

HAZUS-99 Hazards United States 1999

HAZUS-MH Hazards United States Multi-Hazard

IFCI International Fire Code Institute

LEPC Local Emergency Planning Committee

MCDEM Maricopa County Department of Emergency Management

MCFlood Maricopa County Flood Control District

MMI Modified Mercalli Intensity

NCDC National Climate Data Center

NDMC National Drought Mitigation Center

NESDIS National Environmental Satellite, Data and Information Service

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NFIP National Flood Insurance Program

NHC National Hurricane Center

NIBS National Institute of Building Services

NID National Inventory of Dams

NIST National Institute of Standards and Technology

NFIP National Flood Insurance Program
NFPA National Fire Protection Association

NSF National Science Foundation

NOAA National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

NRC National Response Center
NWS National Weather Service

PSDI Palmer Drought Severity Index

RL Repetitive Loss

SRLP Severe Repetitive Loss Properties

SRL Severe Repetitive Loss

SRP Salt River Project

UBC Uniform Building Code

USACE United States Army Corps of Engineers
USDA United States Department of Agriculture

USFS United States Forest Service

USGS United States Geological Survey

WUI Wildland Urban Interface